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buy the same qualities we
do, but it takes a big busi-
ness to handle big quanti-
ties—our big trade is re-
cognized.

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The Results of Idleness—

The odium which rests upon the
work of the hand has exerted a banef-
ul influence, not only in Hickman,
but the world around. The theory
that idleness is more honorable than
toil, that it is more respectable to
consume what others have produced
than to be a producer of wealth our-
selves, has not only robbed society
of an enormous sum but it has
created an almost impassable gulf be-
tween the leisure classes and those
who support them. Because some
imagine themselves above work, while
others see before them nothing but a
life of drudgery, there is constant
warring and much bitterness. When
men and women become ashamed of
doing nothing and strive to give so-
ciety full compensation for all they
receive from society, there will be
harmony between the classes, and
not until then.

We must fully learn the lesson
that employment at some useful vo-
cation is essential to the physical
health, intellectual development, and
moral growth. We ought to be pre-
pared to present in the lives of our
children, examples increasing in num-
ber, of men and women who find de-
light in contributing to the welfare of
their fellow beings, and this ought
not to be difficult, for every depart-
ment of human activity has a fascina-
tion of its own.

A Day in June—

Just a tiny patch of moonlight,
Just a summer night in June;
Just a hammock, a piazza,
Just a dreamy distant tune,
Just a dainty girl beside you,
Just an arm around her waist,
Just a pressure light of two lips,
Just a parting made in haste,
Why are lovers all molested
Just at moments just like this?
Why are unjust people passing
Just in time to see that kiss?

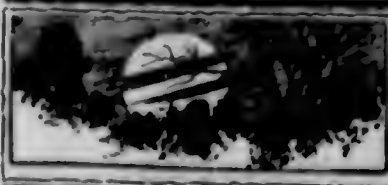
Verdict is Set Aside.

The court of appeals last week re-
versed the Fulton circuit court in the
case of Arlie Dupree against the I.
C. railroad company, holding that on
the trial the judge should have given
peremptory instructions to the jury
to find for the railroad.

On the trial of the case the jury
gave a verdict for \$2,000 in favor of
the little girl, who was run over at
a railroad crossing in Fulton and both
her feet cut off. She is the little
daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bee Dupree,
of Columbus, and this action of the
court of appeals will operate to de-
prive her or them of any compensa-
tion for the child's terrible injury.

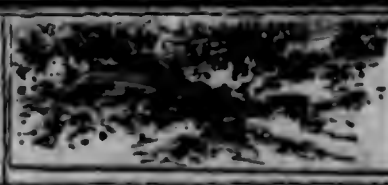
From Chicken to Pie—

The picnic last Friday given by the
members of the Baptist church to
their members and those of the Pres-
byterian church was enjoyed by a
large crowd, at Sulphur Springs Park.
Swings and games were enjoyed by
the young folks. The dinner prepared
for the occasion by the good ladies
cannot be described—it ran the
scale from fried chicken to mince pie.
About three in the afternoon, cream
and cake were served.



AFTER - THOUGHTS

On Many Different Subjects



Are Raising Better Stock—

There is a growing disposition among
the farmers of Fulton county to
raise a better grade of live stock
of all kinds—horses, cattle, mules,
hogs, sheep and even poultry—which
means much for the future prosperity
of the county.

An Expensive Judiciary—

The State's judiciary seems to be
going backward instead of forward.
The legislature at its last session
saw fit to increase the salaries of
circuit judges, \$1,200, notwithstanding
it is in spirit, if not in letter, in
violation of the constitution. This
was done, it is said, in order to get
better material for circuit judges, and
also to allow them to live in that
kind of style necessary for men of
their position.

This \$1,200 increase per annum, add-
ed to the \$3,000, the original salary,
brings them up to \$4,200. The people
will not have any better judges at
\$4,200 a year than they have had at
\$3,000. Besides the taxpayers of the
State will be called upon to pay many
thousands of dollars for these salary
increases without receiving any bene-
fits.

Little Margie's Slang—

Slang is tabooed in the home of a
West Hickman family principally be-
cause there is a bright little girl who
displays a persistent aptitude in re-
taining expressive but slang phrases.

The other evening at supper, while
mother, father and daughter drifted
into the vernacular and a fresh start
was necessary. The little girl started
it. "I'm certainly not struck on
this bread," she remarked.

"Margie," said her mother, "you
want to cut that slang out."

"That's a peach of a way to correct
the child," commented the father.

"I know," replied the mother, "but
I just wanted to put her wise."

Editors Awful Liars—

A preacher said: "You editors dare
not tell the truth, your newspaper
would fail."

The editor replied: "You are right
—and the minister, who will at all
times, tell the truth about his mem-
bers, living or dead, will not occupy
a Hickman pulpit more than one Sun-
day, and will find it necessary to get
out of town in a hurry. The press
and the pulpit go hand in hand
with white-wash and kind words—
magnifying small virtues into larger
ones. The pulpit, press and grave-
stones are the great saint-making Tri-
umvirate."

The good minister went away look-
ing very thoughtful, while ye editor
turned to his work, telling about the
surpassing beauty of the bride, when
in fact she was as homely as the Mc-
Quehen Row.

Reason For Raising Rates—

Railroads are forced to increase
their freight rates on account of
wages, prices of materials, taxes and
damage suits. All of these things
contribute to the increase of freight
rates, all of which must come out of
the consumer after all.

Johnson Tops St. Louis Market—

From the St. Louis Live Stock Re-
porter, May 27, we clip the following:
"H. P. Johnson, a well known stock
man and regular patron of this market
from Hickman, Ky., was on the mar-
ket with a load of sheep including 86
head of spring lambs that averaged
63 pounds and sold at \$8.50. These
lambs not only sold at the top of to-
day's market but they brought more
than any lambs from Kentucky in
several weeks."

Mr. Johnson has shipped 11 cars
of stock during the month of May.
The prevailing high prices, he says,
are causing a renewed interest in the
live stock industry of Fulton county.

This Hour of Fragrance—

I feel in myself the future life. I
am like a forrest once cut down, the
new shoots are stronger and livelier
than ever. I am rising, I know, to-
ward the sky. The sunshine is on my
head. The earth gives me its gener-
ous sap, but heaven lights me with
the reflection of unknown worlds.
You say that the soul is nothing but
the resultant of the bodily powers.
Why, then, is my soul more luminous
when my bodily powers begin to fail?
Winter is on my head, but eternal
spring is in my heart. I breathe at
this hour the fragrance of the lilacs,
the violets and the roses, as at twenty
years. The nearer I approach the
end the plainer I hear round me the
familiar symphonies of the worlds
which invite me. It is marvelous,
yet simple. It is a fairy tale, and it
is history. For a half century I've
been writing my thoughts in prose
and in verse; history, philosophy,
drama, romance, traditions, satire,
ode and song. I have tried all. But
I feel I have not said the thousandth
part of what is in me. When I go
down to the grave I can say like many
others: "I have finished my day's
work." But I cannot say: "I have
finished my life." My day's work
will begin the next morning. The
tomb is not a blind alley; it is a
thoroughfare. It closes on the twi-
light; it opens on the dawn.—Victor
Hugo.

Worrying About the Future—

Some cheerful idiot is now harras-
sing the public mind by present sci-
entific calculations to prove that the
comet will strike mother earth upon
its return visit seventy-five years
hence.

Mummy on a Strike—

I aint g'wine to do no washin'
I aint g'wine to cook no mo'
I aint g'wine clean no winders,
I aint g'wine scrub no flo'
I aint g'wine tend no furnace,
I aint g'wine cut no grass,
I aint g'wine do nuffin'
Till de comet done got pas'.

King Edward as a Mason—

The late King Edward was the
most prominent living Free Mason.
For nearly forty years he was identi-
fied with the order, during which time
he served as grand master of the
grand lodges of England, Ireland, Scot-
land and Wales, and also grand prior
of the order of Knights Templar in

England and grand patron of the An-
cient Accepted Scottish Rite of Free
Masons in the United Kingdom, hav-
ing received the 33rd and last de-
gree in that branch of Free Mason-
ry. There was not a member in the
world who took a deeper or more ac-
tive interest in the affairs of the
Masonic order. Masonry everywhere
received his hearty and unqualified
support, and his presence at impor-
tant Masonic functions was always
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id willow and looked upon it
those now living to remember
and died that the country
forever. His attention was
a book written by Miss Fra-
va the history of the old Stone
Miss Frazer's attention was
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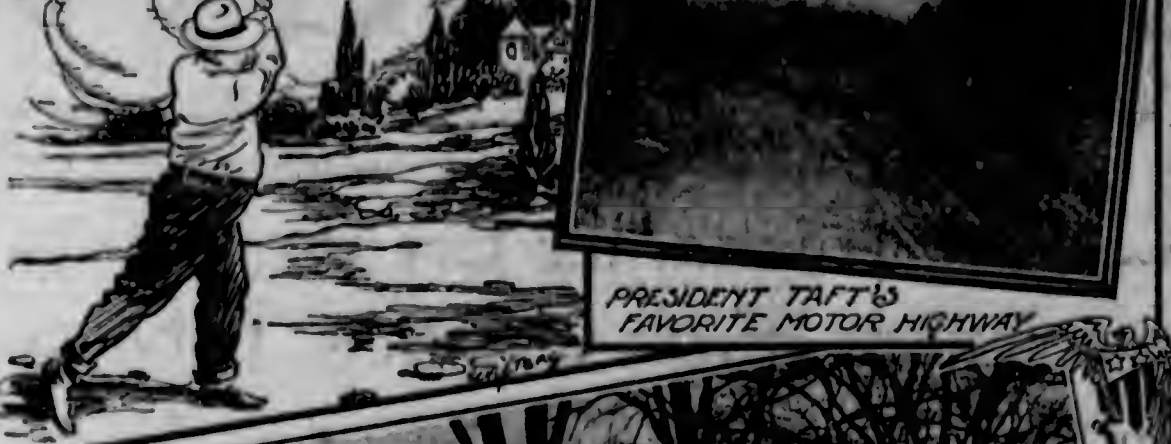
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THE PRESIDENT'S FORTHCOMING VACATION

BY WALDON FAWCETT

THE quaint little community of Beverly, Mass., is pretty certain to enjoy the distinction of ranking as the "summer capital" of the United States so long as William H. Taft is president. The Tafts chose the little seashore resort for a vacation retreat for the first summer of the present administration somewhat as an experiment. No member of the family had previously spent much time on the famed "North shore" of Massachusetts and consequently they were obliged to accept largely on hearsay its claims to pre-eminence as an ideal summer playground. However, after their first season at this pleasure domain the White House household was more than enthusiastic regarding the locality and forthwith decided to return there in future summers. Hence the action of the president in extending his lease on the cottage he occupies at Burgess Point.

For a decade and a half prior to the election of William H. Taft as president, the present occupants of the White House, together with the members of all the other branches of the very numerous Taft family, had been wont to gather each summer at Mur-



PRESIDENT TAFT'S FAVORITE MOTOR HIGHWAY



SUMMER HOME OF THE PRESIDENT



RESIDENCE OF JOHN HAY HAMMOND

ray Hay, Ontario, a picturesque resort on the north bank of the St. Lawrence river. They have not, to this day, lost any of their affection for the hamlet that was so long the rendezvous of the Taft clan, but Murray Hay is, of course, in Canada, and the president is not supposed to go beyond the borders of the United States, even for a vacation. This put up to the president and the first lady of the land the problem of selecting a new summer domicile.

That the North shore of Massachusetts was chosen was largely due to the influence of Miss Mabel Boardman, the well known Red Cross leader, and Mrs. Taft's closest personal friend. The Boardmans have long had a summer home at Manchester-by-the-Sea, which is but a few miles from Beverly and Miss Boardman, like her parents, is more than enthusiastic regarding this "summer colony belt." She accompanied Mrs. Taft on a house hunting expedition last spring, and was her chief adviser in the selection of the roomy frame cottage which was finally chosen as the "summer White House."

One factor in the satisfaction of the Tafts, and an influence in the decision to return to Beverly this summer, is found in the circumstance that this vacation retreat proved beneficial to Mrs. Taft. It may be remembered that Mrs. Taft broke down in health only a few weeks before the time set for the departure of the family for their summer home. When the physicians prescribed absolute quiet some of the friends of the mistress of the White House were dubious as to the effect of Beverly, for although the town is a quiet enough community, the whole North shore of Massachu-



THE PRESIDENT'S "PRIVATE BEACH" AT BEVERLY, MASS.

setta is a very lively place socially in summer, even rivaling Newport in that respect, and the migration of a president to a summer resort is always followed by the transfer of many of the diplomatic establishments from Washington, to say nothing of the influx of ambitious social

leaders so that a "summer capital" quickly springs into existence as a setting for a "summer White House." However, all misgivings to the contrary, Mrs. Taft was enabled to enjoy a thoroughly quiet and restful summer at Beverly, and this program will be repeated this season, for the health of the first lady of the land continues anything but robust. The Taft cottage being located on a point of land and surrounded by water on three sides, is well located with reference to quiet, and also for the securing of the sea breezes which have proven Mrs. Taft's best tonic. On the land side the house is located only about a hundred yards from a trolley line, but it is well screened by trees, and the fact that the cottage may be approached by land from only one direction makes it a comparatively simple matter for the secret service men to intercept unwelcome callers.

President Taft has planned for the summer of

1910 a much longer and more restful vacation than he was able to enjoy last year, when, it may be recalled, the extra session of congress and the fight over the tariff kept him in Washington until well into August. The president hopes to get to Beverly early in June, and with the exception of occasional trips, mostly to nearby points, will remain there throughout the heated term. A year ago the president planned to devote most of the summer of 1910 to a trip to Alaska—a journey that would have far surpassed in point of time consumed and number of miles traveled, the famous transcontinental

"swing around the circle" in which Taft indulged during the autumn of 1909. However, various influences, primarily the state of Mrs. Taft's health—have caused the president to abandon this Alaska trip, and he will rest quietly at Beverly save for visits to fairs, conventions, etc., none of which will consume more than a few days.

The president is planning a very busy and beneficial summer on the

golf links. The courses in the vicinity of Beverly include some of the finest and also some of the most difficult in the country, and the chief magistrate's summer program calls for three or four hours of golf every day. He will not lack for worthy partners and opponents either. His especial chum "Jack" Hammond and W. J. Boardman, have cottages nearby; his brother, C. P. Taft of Cincinnati, also a golfer, has leased a cottage on North shore, to be near his brother this summer, and he will also have with him Capt. Archibald Hunt, who in addition to serving as the president's military aide can likewise always be drafted for a golf game. Next to golf the president takes delight in motoring on the magnificent roads of the North shore—perhaps the finest in America. Several of the White House automobiles are transferred to Beverly, and these place the president within easy reach of three or four different golf courses.

Where Men Fought and Fell

Spurred by the efforts of Miss Georgia Frazer a descendant of an old revolutionary family, and Charles M. Higgins, a wealthy manufacturer of Prospect Park West, Brooklyn, the city authorities are taking steps to acquire for the erection of a suitable monument and a children's playground the plot of ground covering two city blocks on which part of the battle of Long Island was fought in the Revolutionary war on August 27, 1776. The plot is located between Third and Fifth streets and Fourth and Fifth avenues, Brooklyn, and there are now only about ten houses on the entire plot, which is owned by the Litchfield estate. The rest of the land is vacant.

Directly behind the row of houses in Fifth avenue, between Third and Fourth streets, stands an old willow tree, marking the site of the old Stone house at Gowanus, where an important engagement between the British and Americans was fought. The Americans, although inferior in numbers, dislodged the British troops from the old Stone house, which was used as a fort, and as a result Washington was able to cross the East river with his army, thus saving the patriots from utter annihilation and virtually deciding the country's fate.

The old Stone house of Gowanus is not visible now and very few of the present generation know anything about it. The plot where it stands was very low—much lower than the surrounding places—and it became a dumping ground. As a result the historic house has been buried by 16 feet of earth. A willow tree which stood at the entrance to the old house was also buried, but from its branches rose another willow tree, which is still standing, and it is because of this

tree that the movement to uncover the old house and erect a lasting monument to the defenders of the country who fell there has received such an impetus.

Mr. Higgins, who, although of Irish extraction, is an ardent American patriot, was touched by the survival of the old willow and looked upon it as a mute appeal to those now living to remember the men who fought and died that the country might become free forever. His attention was called to the spot by a book written by Miss Frazer in which she gives the history of the old Stone house at Gowanus. Miss Frazer's attention was first called to the house by a painting executed by Louis Gruber in 1846 at the order of George Anderson, her granduncle. Miss Frazer spent her girlhood at the home of her uncle, Thomas Easton of Newport, R. I., to whom the painting had been sent, and she took a great interest in the picture and the story attached to it.

At a dinner given recently by the Prospect Heights Citizens' association at which Mayor Gaynor, who is a neighbor, was present, Mr. Higgins aroused the enthusiasm of the gathering by his appeal for the restoration of the old Stone house and the consecration of the plot surrounding it to the memory of the revolutionary heroes who fell there.

He said it was a patriotic shame that the historic spot should have been neglected so long. Mayor Gaynor, Borough President Steers and other officials who were at the dinner let it be known that they were in favor of the restoration of the old Stone house, and the board of estimate is expected to make an appropriation for the purpose in the near future.

Miss Frazer, who is very modest about her connection with the matter, told a reporter how she came to discover the site of the old Stone house. "After much research," said she, "I found a bronze tablet that had been erected many years ago on the front of the two-story brick house that stands at the corner of Fifth avenue and Third street. It was almost hidden by grime, and in the shadow of the 'L.' It contains this inscription under a picture of a battle field:

"Here on the 27th of August, 1776, 250 out of 400 brave Maryland soldiers under the command of Lord Stirling were killed in combat with British troops under Lord Cornwallis."

"I found that the old Stone house around which the battle was fought, and which was also called the Cortelyou house, had been buried under 16 feet of earth, nobody knowing that it was famous 75 years before the battle of Long Island was fought in and around it. It was built in 1699 by Nicholas Vechte, a Dutch colonist, and in 1790 it passed to the Cortelyous, the price being \$12,500. In 1816 the Litchfields, who now own it, bought the property from the Cortelyous. It stood on the banks of a brook emptying into Gowanus creek, 15 or 20 feet below the present street level, and was famous as the largest and most substantial house on Long Island at the time.

"The spot became a city dumping ground, and in 1846 only the upper part of it was visible. Some one took away the iron braces that supported the roof and the roof fell in. Gradually it was covered up entirely, but I believe that when it is unearthed the lower portion of the house will be found in a good state of preservation."

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NEWS FROM STATE LINE.

W. M. Shaw and wife spent Tuesday in Union City.

Dr. Dave Maddox was here Wednesday from Terrell.

Miss Marion Luten, of Hickman, visited here last week.

D. H. Toombs was in Union City on business one day last week.

Miss Mozelle Brasfield has returned from school at Lexington, Tenn.

T. A. Prather, Jr., and Elmer Threlkeld were in Union City Saturday.

Miss Georgia Burrus has returned from a visit to Union City friends.

Miss L. G. Clark has returned from a visit to Martin and Greenfield friends.

Miss Mary Briggs, of Hickman, visited her cousin, Miss Georgia Burrus, last week.

Miss Lunsford, of Hickman, is the guest of W. B. Clark and family for a few days.

Henry Corum and wife, of Obion county, visited M. L. Corum and family Tuesday.

Mrs. Sanders, of Dalton, Ga., is spending the summer with L. C. Maddox and family.

Mrs. Mable Gaston has returned to her home in Jackson, after a visit to Mrs. T. A. Prather, Jr.

Misses Mary Burrus and Fannie Dale Brasfield have returned from a visit to Greenfield, Tenn.

Miss Ella Corum has returned to her home in Hickman after several days' visit to Miss Mary Maddox.

Mrs. Sudie Fowler is here from Paducah visiting her mother, Mrs. Sanders, at the home of L. C. Maddox.

Mrs. McDaniel has returned to the home of her daughter, Mrs. T. A. Prather, after spending some time with her niece, Mrs. P. W. Prather, at Woodland Mills.

There will be preaching at Poplar Grove next Saturday evening at 2 o'clock, also on next Sunday morning and evening by Eld. W. H. Williams. These sermons will be of interest to all. Dinner will be served on the ground Sunday.

CHARLES A. KENNEDY.

The following extracts are from the Clinton Gazette relative to the death of C. A. Kennedy, father of Ascher Kennedy, of this city:

Mr. Kennedy's death occurred May 26, at San Angelo, Texas, where he had been for his health since last July. The remains, accompanied by members of his family, arrived here Sunday at 10:40 a. m., and the funeral was conducted at 2 o'clock in the afternoon from the residence of Mr. Joe W. Bennett, a lifelong friend of the deceased. The funeral sermon was preached by Rev. J. W. Waters, of Greenfield, Tenn., and the Woodmen of the World had charge of the interment, Mr. Kennedy being a charter member of the Wingo camp. Consul Commander Beadles and a number of Sovereigns from that and other camps were present and assisted Oak Camp of Clinton in the burial rites.

There was a large concourse of people at the funeral, a number coming from Wingo, Hickman, Fulton and other places around. Mr. Kennedy's sisters, Mrs. Mattie Warren and Mrs. Alice Combs, of Hardin, Ky.; his brother, H. V. Kennedy, of Murray, and his nephew, W. W. Jones, of Hardin, were present; also his son, Ascher Kennedy and wife, and relatives of Mrs. Ascher Kennedy, from Hickman.

Mr. Kennedy was married three times, his last wife and one son, Wendell, surviving him, besides three children of his first marriage, Ascher and Bernard and Mrs. John Walker, the latter of Wingo.

Mr. Kennedy was in his 52d year, and was a native of Marshall county. He came with his father to Wingo in his boyhood, and afterwards taught school in this county. In 1890 he was elected county school superintendent of this county, and served until 1898. Probably a year after he retired from office he went to Wingo and became a successful business man there. In July last year he moved to Texas in the hope of benefitting his health. He engaged in business at Riviera and was doing nicely when stricken down with the illness which caused his death.

Hugh Ed. Curlin was here from Union City, Tuesday.

The taxes due the state from Fulton county, including the recent sale is \$23,842.

Miss Leah Barry has procured a position as assistant bookkeeper with the lumber firm of W. A. Dodds.

About fifty Hickmanites attended the dedication services of Mt. Zion Church last Sunday. The attendance is estimated at from 500 to 600. The good people of that neighborhood eclipsed all former efforts in the dinner served, and those who attended say it was the most sumptuous feast they ever saw. A request was sent out through the local newspapers asking that no autos be driven to the church that day, and the automobileists heeded. Not one was seen. The day was ideal and the crowd enjoyed the services and hospitality of old Mt. Zion.

The B. A. F. Club, of State Line, will entertain at the home of Miss L. G. Wilson Clark, Wednesday evening, June 8th. 150 handsome invitations have been mailed to their friends, indicating that this will be one of the swellest social events of the season at this little city. The members of this club are Misses Lucile Rice, Wilson Clark, Lillian Clay, Myrtle Saunders, Fauchon Brasfield, Annie Threlkeld, Lennie Curlin, Lottie Linder, Ailine Roper and Mary Burrus.

Bill Johnson (not our livery stable bill nor a relative of Sheriff Johnson) was arrested last Friday by county officers on a charge of being drunk and disorderly. He was released with out being fined because he is the next thing to blind. A man with two good eyes can't have much fun here now, and his release was nothing more than right. Johnson is watchman for the Mengel Box Co. His hilarity on this occasion consisted of pulling the trigger of a .44 and throwing hot lead too promiscuously.



Betsy's Pointers: "Molly says that some folks get married to get rid of themselves. And then discover, says I that two can ply at the same game and neither win. But there are some deals in which we need take no chances. One is in buying flour. If you patronize Ellison Bros., for

Belle of Ava Flour
Is the Pick of Wheat

for it is made in the heart of the winter wheat country, and being made from the pick of the wheat, it is always the same.

The Highest Quality of Flour
That Can Be Made.

and the price is no more than other brands not so good.

Won't You Try a Sack of
Belle of Ava

On our recommendation. If you say it isn't good we'll send and get it and it won't cost you a cent.

Seasonable items that are needed now and of which we carry good lines
Screen Doors, \$1 up.
Window Screens.
Lawn Mowers, ball bearing.
Ice Cream Freezers, \$2.25 up.
Quick Meal Gasoline Stoves and Ranges, \$3.50 up.

Stop by for a—
A pound of High Grade Candles, 10 cents a pound and 5 cents a Quarter Pound.

Ellison Brothers.

TWO NEW TRUSTEES.

An election of school trustees was held in this city Wednesday, resulting in the election of E. D. Johnson and R. L. Bradley as new members of the board, taking the place of C. L. Walker and J. H. Brown. The vote was as follows:
E. D. Johnson, 124.
C. G. Schleuter, 111.
R. L. Bradley, 72.
J. H. Brown, 70.

Mr. Walker refused to allow his name to be placed on the ticket for re-election and Mr. Brown was beaten by a very small margin. Both of the outgoing members were good ones, and the new ones coming in will be good men for the place. They will serve three years.

The Board is now composed of W. C. Johnson, W. A. Johnston, Tom Dillon Sr., Julian Choate, Marion Provow, Judge J. W. Cowgill, E. D. Johnson, C. G. Schleuter and R. L. Bradley.

MASONS HAVE BANQUET.

Hickman Lodge No. 761, F. & A. M., treated its membership to a banquet and smoker last Monday evening at the Masonic hall. The attendance was unusually large, strange to say and all stayed for the spread, consisting of barbecued mutton, cold drinks, etc. Several gentlemen won out in the endurance contest by a close finish, but Dr. Hubbard was awarded the "leather medal."

Among other things, this body agitated and discussed the building of a new hall. The move was heartily endorsed by all present. Should the proposition be carried out, the new quarters will contain reading rooms, club rooms, dance hall, etc., all of which are certainly needed in this city.

Mrs. P. C. Ward and children, of Walnut Log, visited here this week.

Lee Atwill who is attending school at Lexington, returned home Monday.

The Ministers' and Members' Meeting of the West Kentucky Baptist Association met at Moscow this week.

Miss Nellie Harris left for her home in Paris, Tenn., this morning after a short visit to her brother, Ode Harris.

Austin Wilson, who is attending McFerrin School at Martin, arrived in Hickman this week and will spend the summer with his parents, Rev. G. W. Wilson and wife.

On account of Children's Day exercises there will be no preaching at the Methodist church at the morning hour but regular services will be held in the evening, beginning at 8 o'clock.

Jim Hingo, colored, lost his residence, one mile above town, Monday afternoon by fire, which started from a defective flue. Jim carried no insurance and the house and contents were a complete loss, amounting to about \$500.

Percy Jones, always hustling, doing something new, has responded to the demand for late lunches, etc., and hereafter his cafe will be open day and night. The man who happens to come in as late as midnight with a "hungry chill" will find the latch string hanging out at Jones' Cafe and an exhaustless quantity of good things to refresh the inner man.

The school election held in this city yesterday, was as usual, unknown to many of the voters, and the small vote polled is a sad commentary on the interest taken in this matter by our citizens. The few notices tacked up on telephone poles, announcing the coming election and torn down by wind and rain a few hours afterward, are a "light under a bushel" so far as the good they do. In remote country districts, where there are no newspapers and this is the only means of informing the public, the law prescribes well. But in cities, where there is no end of horse bills, starch signs, killumquick pill placards, etc., dangling from all poles and fences, the average citizen does not look here for election notices, but rather to his newspaper. Hereafter there will be no excuse on the part of the Board for not making these elections public. If they feel too hard up to pay for such notice in the Courier, we will gladly donate the space in the interest of education. This does not mean we are not getting good men on the board, but such practice will sooner or later offer opportunities to the "dark horse" who would sacrifice principle for mercenary gain and then, too, every voter is entitled to this information. It will create a greater interest in school work.

Real Estate For Sale

FOR SALE: In the new Rogers Addition, between Southern Heights and city line, ten as pretty lots as you ever saw to go at a very low figure. These lots are level, desirable building sites, of good depth, and can be had in any width. They lay at the south end of the new steel bridge. Present improvements consist of concrete walks, water mains, electric lights, etc. To start the ball rolling we will sell ten lots at \$150 each; others will be higher. Restrictions will be placed on these lots so that only nice homes and white people will be in the neighborhood.

FOR SALE: For a limited time we will offer for sale at a BARGAIN, 160 acres of fine timber land near Redfoot Lake. Owner says there are 1,000,000 feet of cypress, ash, gum, etc., on this land. New rail

FOR SALE: Two 4-room cottages in West Hickman, lot 66x196, fenced, water works, etc. Either one for \$500 or both for \$950. The houses cannot be built for this money.

FOR SALE: A fine 17 1/2 acre tract right at southeast limits of city, has good two-story house, barn and out-buildings of all kinds. Would make a nice addition to the town and is an ideal tract for truck farming or dairy business. The new railroad will make this land double in value in next 12 months. For either home or investment this proposition is hard to beat. For particulars call at the Courier office.

FOR SALE: A new 6-room residence and 4 vicinity lots (4 1/2 acres) barn, etc., just outside city limits; a corking good place for the money. Enough ground for truck gardening and poultry. The place you've been looking for, let us give you the figures on it.

FOR SALE: Nice 4-room residence and lot 60x150, in East Hickman; all necessary improvements—good stable

clatren, fences, etc. \$900 will buy it. Owner has good reasons for selling—Call at Courier office.

FOR SALE: Nice 5-room residence in West Hickman. Two coal houses, buggy shed and all other improvements. Well located, easily worth \$1,500 to \$1,800, but will sell for less. Are you renting? Cut it out, own a home. This is a bargain.

FOR SALE: Nice residence near the College. Plenty of ground and all improvements. Terms to suit purchaser. Don't pay rent. See us, if you want a home.—Hickman Courier.

FOR SALE: The Allison Tyler residence property on the hill. Can be bought for about half what it is really worth. It will bear close inspection.

FOR SALE: A nice residence, one block from Postoffice. The house has 6 rooms, two halls, and two porches; in good repair and a very desirable place. Call at this office.

FOR SALE: One of the very best lots in the Henry Addition. Cash or time.

FOR SALE: A small farm, one mile from town, all in cultivation, a fine one for truck farming. Will be sold on easy terms. All necessary improvements. This office.

FOR SALE: A No. 1 good business building located in the heart of the city. Will be sold at a sacrifice if taken at once. Rent's ready for a good figure. Good reasons for selling.

For particulars apply at the Courier office.

I guarantee all plumbing and Union I do. If the work don't come up right—and I can't out-talk you—we will cheerfully do the job over—just like any other plumber.—Cotton

Mrs. Mary Dean Wheeler, of Union City, spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Harry Threlkeld.

Miss Mabel Wilson attended the wedding of her friend, Miss Roberta Martin, at Martin, Tenn., Wednesday.

Misses Mary Tempa Burnett and Annie Lee Brown are visiting Miss Eron Roper, near State Line, this week.

Lose Your Money And It's Gone

But if you lose your check book, we will give you another. In this lies the safety in paying all bills with bank checks. Your money is secure with us, yet ready to use as you require it. You are tempting the "hold-up man" so long as you carry a roll of bills. Better keep your cash in this bank and rest easy. We are at your service.

THE HICKMAN BANK
ESTABLISHED 1886

Capital and Surplus, \$85,000.00

Lowe Brothers
High Standard
Liquid Paint
Gives Best Results

—And that is the real consideration—results—not price per gallon.

Covering results—one-third to one-half more square feet covered.

Wear-results—Two to three years longer service, and surface left in good condition for new painting.

Nothing better in Hickman or Fulton County. Prices are right, too

Cowgill's Drug Store
(Incorporated)

Hickman Gun Club

HICKMAN, KENTUCKY

....\$950.00 Added....

\$800.00 IN CASH

\$150.00 IN GUNS

Percentage System 35, 25, 20, 15 and 5.

JUNE 13th, 1910. FIRST DAY

SWEEPSTAKES OPTIONAL.

Event No.	Targets	Entrance
1	20	\$.40
2	20	.40
3	20	.40
4	20	.40
5	20	.40
6	20	.40

\$5.00 for high average for the day, shooting through the six events.

JUNE 14th, 1910. SECOND DAY

Event No.	Targets	Entrance	Added Money.
1	20	\$2.00	\$25.00
2	20	2.00	25.00
3	20	2.00	25.00
4	20	2.00	25.00
5	20	2.00	25.00
6	20	2.00	25.00
7	20	2.00	25.00
8	20	2.00	25.00
9	20	2.00	25.00
10	20	2.00	25.00
11	20	2.00	25.00
12	20	2.00	25.00

\$300.00

JUNE 15th, 1910. THIRD DAY

Event No.	Targets	Entrance	Added Money.
1	20	\$2.00	\$25.00
2	20	2.00	25.00
3	20	2.00	25.00
4	20	2.00	25.00
5	20	2.00	25.00
6	20	2.00	25.00
7	20	2.00	25.00
8	20	2.00	25.00
9	20	2.00	25.00
10	20	2.00	25.00
11	20	2.00	25.00
12	Handicap	2.00	1st High Gun \$50 d.b.

Shot gun, 2nd High Gun, \$40 Pump Gun.

Professionals and amateurs are eligible to shoot for prize in Handicap. Professionals and amateurs must shoot in all regular events and handicap on June 14 and 15 to be eligible to participate in the high and low average prizes given on following page.

No entrance money will be refunded in event of withdrawal from Handicap.

The Club reserves the right to extend the shoot the following day in event of failure from any cause to complete the programme.

High Average Money

The following high average for amateurs prizes are given to those shooting through the regular programme and handicap.

GEN. H. A. TYLER PRIZE.

First high gun.....	\$30.00
Second high gun.....	20.00
Third high gun.....	17.50
Fourth high gun.....	15.00
Fifth high gun.....	12.50

HICKMAN GUN CLUB PRIZE.

Sixth high gun.....	10.00
Seventh high gun.....	10.00
Eighth high gun.....	7.50
Ninth high gun.....	7.50
Tenth high gun.....	5.00
Eleventh high gun.....	5.00
Twelfth high gun.....	5.00

JOE CANTILLON PRIZE.

Low Average Money.

First Lowest Gun.....	\$5.00
Second Lowest Gun.....	5.00
Third Lowest Gun.....	5.00
Fourth Lowest Gun.....	5.00
Fifth Lowest Gun.....	5.00
Sixth Lowest Gun.....	5.00
Seventh Lowest Gun.....	5.00
Eighth Lowest Gun.....	5.00
Ninth Lowest Gun.....	5.00
Tenth Lowest Gun.....	5.00

S. L. DODDS PRIZE.

Four high professionals shooting through the entire three days programme \$5.00 in gold each by S. L. Dodds.

THE MARLIN FIRE ARMS CO. PRIZE.

1 Marlin Trap Gun for the High Amateur, average shooting through the ENTIRE program of the 13th, 14th and 15th.

Suited While Your Wait

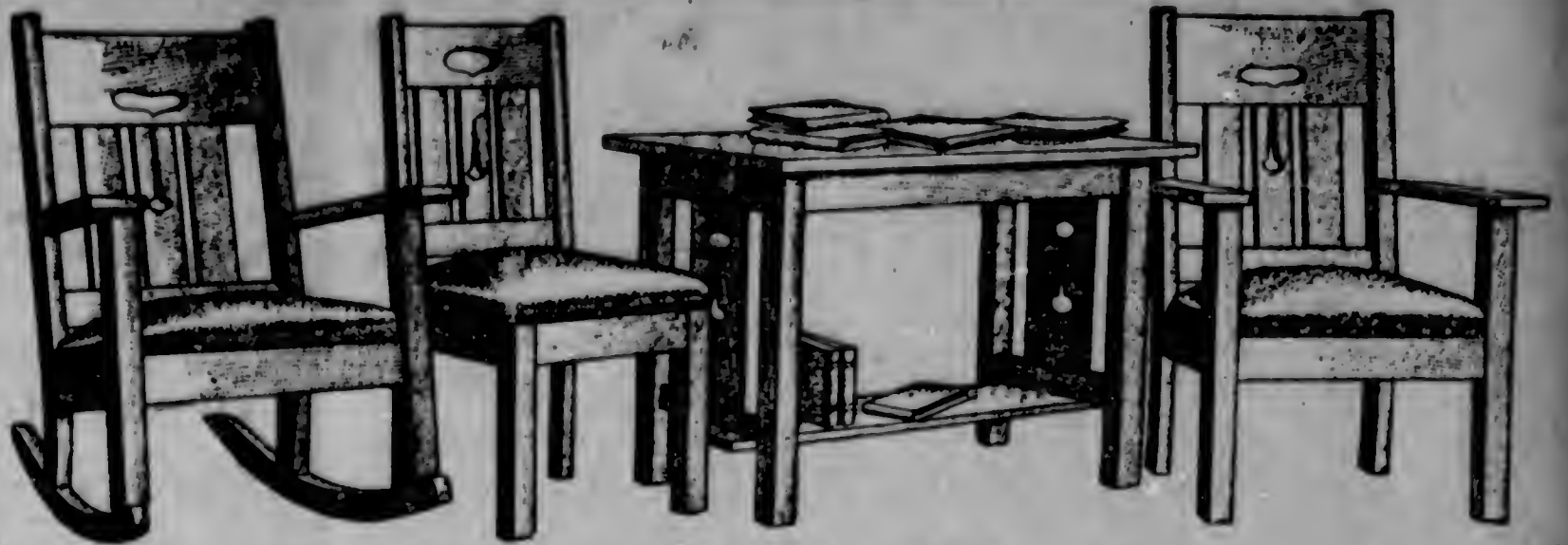
With a pair of nobby, stylish, two-eyelet Ties. They stay on the foot all right, and are the correct thing for the summer days.

A FULL VARIETY

Bradley & Parham

Anything you want that we haven't got in Furniture we will be glad to order it for you.—Hickman Furniture Company.

Leon Browder, Marvin Noleu, Chas. Thompson, Ed Kelly and Jesse Fields of Fulton, were guests of Hickman's last sex, Sunday.



This Handsome Mission Library Set

\$16.00

Here's a very excellent four-piece Mission Oak Library Set—two chairs, table and rocker—well made, Boston leather spring seat, and most comfortable to rest in. They're all solid oak—forest tree finish. At the price here named, \$16.00 for the four pieces, we truly believe it is, without exception, the very best furniture value in Hickman. Just drop in and see if it isn't.

Also remember we carry the biggest line of Davenports in this city—massive quartered oak and Russian leather at, from \$27.00 to \$35.00.

ST. LOUIS FURNISHING COMPANY



Hickman Lodge 761
F. & A. M.

Hickman Lodge No. 761, F. & A. M., will meet in regular communication next Monday night at 7:30. Visiting brothers cordially invited.

H. N. COWGILL, Master.

D. OWENS, Secy.

Work in F. C. degree.

Work in M. M. degree.

NOTHING DOING HERE.

The John B. Gordon Chapter U. D. C., has completed final arrangements with the management of The Great J. Frank Hatch Shows to bring their monster aggregation to Union City for a week's engagement for their benefit May 30th to June 4th inclusive.—Union City News-Banner.

The meetings held on last Thursday night and on Monday night following to arrange for a Fourth of July celebration in Union City resulted in the creation of a fund amounting to nearly eight hundred dollars.—Union City Commercial.

This calls to mind the fact that Hickman has less doing in the way of amusement than any other town her size in the world.

Too many of our business men think of nothing but the almighty dollar—they don't want to lose a day's time for recreation or gala days.

But, after all, the time and money spent in entertaining the populace occasionally is a good investment. It may be a fair, a gun shoot, a carnival, horse show, circus, 4th of July celebration—it doesn't matter—what ever brings a crowd brings new business to that town following the event. All that is in sight this year in the way of amusements in a gun shoot. S. L. Dodds alone deserves credit for getting up this feature. He is wide awake to the good of such things, and we need a few more fellows of his type.

This old dope about certain things "carrying off all the money," is all hog-wash. If people can't come to Hickman to spend it, they are going to some other town. You can't keep people from seeking amusement. Hundreds of dollars will leave Hickman July 4th on account of the enterprise of some of our neighboring cities, while her tight-wads will sit at home and twirl their thumbs. Yet you couldn't drive this idea into the heads of some with a maul and glut. They are content to sit beneath the Upsa tree's shade and bathe their spirit in the soothing old adage "a bird in the hand is worth two in the bush."

What we need is a few wideawake fellows on the head of things who will not tread lightly for fear of waking the sleeper. Push and aggressiveness will get results; there are hundreds of opportunities for better things in Hickman and surrounding country that are waiting development.

—O—
THE LADIES OF THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH WILL SERVE SUPPER DURING THE GUN SHOOT IN THE BUILDING LATELY OCCUPIED BY NAYLOR'S BOOK STORE. HOURS FROM 7 TO 9 p. m.

—O—
Don't wait any longer to get that poultry fence—you need it NOW. We have plenty of it.—Hickman Fldw. Company, Inc.

MARRIAGE LICENSE.

The following were granted license to marry in Obion county last week:

John Ladd and Ava Edwards.

W. C. Osaman and Virgie Simmons.

D. A. McCullar and Victoria Ragsdale.

Carlos D. Neely and Virgie Summers.

Perry G. Browder and Nannie E. McMurtry.

A regular morning operation of the bowels puts you in fine shape for the day's work. If you miss it you feel uncomfortable and cannot put vim into your movements. For all bowel irregularity HERBINE is the remedy. It purifies, strengthens and regulates. Price 50c. Sold by Hickman Drug Co.

The Bardwell News states that Judge R. J. Bugg will hold the June term of circuit court at Bardwell. His health is materially better.

A bilious, half-sick feeling, loss of energy, and constipated bowels can be relieved with surprising promptness by using HERBINE. The first dose brings improvement, a few doses puts the system in fine, vigorous condition. Price 50c. Sold by Hickman Drug Co.

Dr. and Mrs. W. E. Scates, of Union City, spent last week with their daughter, Mrs. Prather.

Teething babies always have a hard time of it when this process occurs in hot weather. They not only have to contend with painful gums but the stomach is disordered, bowels loose and the body uncomfortable. The best help you can give the little sufferer is McGER'S BABY ELIXIR. It corrects sour stomach, cools and quiets the bowels and helps digestion. Price 25c and 50c per bottle. Sold by Hickman Drug Co.

Save from \$1 to \$2 per thousand on your shingles by buying direct from our mill.—Yates & Kirk Shingle Co.

I take this means of informing my friends that on and after June 1, 1910, I will make Hickman my permanent business location. I will open thoroughly equipped dental parlors on the second floor of the LaCade building and will appreciate your patronage.

J. O. STUBBS,
Dentist.

BIDS ON ROAD WORK.

Notice is hereby given that bids on contracts for road work in Fulton county, Kentucky, will be received as follows:

Bids for work in District No. 3 and 4, will be received at the court house in Hickman, Monday, June 20th, 1910, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Bids for work in District No. 1, will be received at the court house in Fulton, Wednesday, June 22, 1910, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Bids for work in District No. 2, will be received at Cayce, Saturday, June 25, 1910, at 2 o'clock p. m.

This work will consist principally of grading and will require enough teams to pull grader. Contract will be made with lowest and best bidder on basis of a day's work of ten hours. For further information address Judge W. A. Naylor, Hickman, Ky.

Call at the Hickman Furniture Co. for anything you want in furniture.



As Comfortable as Bare Feet

Solastic

Perfect foot protection for women with cornless comfort hitherto unknown. Not a pinch—not a rub—pliant, flexible, tough soles and splendid foot-fitting style. Most for the money.

DOLLAR
FOR-DOLLAR
DEALERS
SELL
SOLASTIC

CUSTOM MADE BY

Wertheimer-Swartz Shoe Co.

ST. LOUIS, U. S. A.

Sprinkling Rates

FOR 1910

The sprinkling rate for the season, beginning May 1st and ending November 1st, 1910, in residence section, is

50 foot front and under . . . \$6
8c for each additional foot.

Business house rate, each door \$6

This is payable in advance. If you have not paid, please don't sprinkle.

HICKMAN ICE & COAL CO.

—Incorporated—

Hickman Courier and Commercial Appeal a year for \$1.25

Telephone 65 for Plumbing and Tinwork--JOHN COTTON

Buy Ice Coupon Books

AND SAVE 10 PER CENT ON YOUR ICE BILL

No ice will be charged. The drivers will either collect cash or coupons. Don't expect them to credit you, for they will be charged with each book, and will have to account for the ice they take out for delivery.

This rule will not apply to soda fountains, butcher shops, fish docks and other large users of ice, as their accounts will be on file at our office.

Hickman Ice & Coal Co.

(INCORPORATED.)

J. T. DILLON, Manager.

Business Directory

—ASK FOR RATES—

WOODLAWN DAIRY. A. H. Lee, Prop.

Best of Milk and Butter delivered. Home Phone No. 27.

McMURRY & FLAT Attorneys-at-Law

Office over Hickman Drug Company Hickman, Ky.

BETTERSWORTH & PRATHER Groceries

City Delivery; both phones Nu. 38. "Best of Everything"

COURIER REALTY COMPANY Phone No. 21

Will sell that place and get you another. No business, no pay.

HICKMAN FURNITURE CO.

Funeral Directors and Embalmers. Phone 20, night or day. Hickman, Ky.

DR. E. M. CRUTCHFIELD.

—Dentist—

Davidson's old stand. Phone No. 2. Hickman, Ky.

GRAY'S BLACKSMITH SHOP

(Hunkler's Old Stand)

Lowest prices for horseshoeing. Wood and Iron Work.

HICKMAN HARNESS CO.

A. J. Wright, Manager.

Makers and Dealers in Harness. Repair Work a Specialty.

CLAY & CALDWELL.

Blacksmiths.

Blacksmithing and Woodwork. Horse Shoeing a specialty.

A. M. TYLER

Attorney - at - Law

I am now located at Paducah, but will continue to practice in the courts of Fulton county and will be in Hickman every 2nd and 4th Monday.

This is too good to keep. A comedian at the Lyric one night last week asked another what became of Noah's ark. His answer was, "they're using it for McCutcheon Row." There are several Noah's arks around this burg that the city dads should order torn down. We have a law against common nuisances and we think the law is violated every day that some of these shacks stand.

AYER'S HAIR VIGOR

Does not Color the Hair

Hair falling out? Troubled with dandruff? Want more hair? An elegant dressing?

Ingredients: Sulfur, Glycerin, Quinine, Sodium Chlorid, Capsicum, Sage, Alcohol, Water, Perfume.

We believe doctors endorse this formula, or we would not put it up.

AYER'S HAIR VIGOR

Does not Color the Hair

J. C. AYER COMPANY, Lowell, Mass.

ALL SORTS:

Cotton, the plumber. Phone 65. 100 acre farm to sell—Kennedy.

We serve REO—Harris Ice Cream Parlors.

For anything in the Bond Addition see Kennedy.

H. H. Green has been quite sick for the past week.

Dr. W. A. Boyd died at his home in Mayfield, Sunday.

Hollis Kirk spent several days of last week at Myersburg, Tenn.

Bulte's Excellence and Autumn Leaf—best flour made—Travis.

Your parties are not complete unless REO is served.—Cowgill's.

The U. D. C. will decorate graves at the city cemetery tomorrow afternoon.

J. A. Moore, wife and daughter are expected home from Rayville, La., Sunday.

Floyd Naylor returned Sunday from Lexington, where he has been attending school.

Quality counts in Shingles—get the best by buying direct from our mill.—Vates & Kirk Shingle Co.

A. A. Paris, Dr. Lon Naylor and E. C. Johnson attended Knight Templar lodge in Fulton Monday night.

Hugh O'Donnell, of a big cotton concern of St. Louis, was the guest of C. T. Bondurant Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Anne Cowgill and Louise Atwood and Arch DeBow and Gus Alexander attended a dance in Martin Tuesday night.

Arthur Hale returned Thursday of last week from Spring Hill, Tenn., where he has been attending Brannan & Hughes school.

At a meeting of the stockholders of the Hickman Bank last week all of the old officers were re-elected to serve another term. Couldn't improve on this bunch.

Charlie Burchard, Dave Bryant, R. Edwards and Harry Edwards, four of Union City's sports, were here Friday to attend a meeting of the Hickman Gun Club.

The President has sent to the Senate the nominations of J. M. Sharp as U. S. Attorney for the Eastern District of Kentucky and Geo. W. Long as Marshal for the Western district.

Wm. Aldaus, of Cynthiana, is said to be a candidate for governor. As he is one of the men who recently raised the taxes in all but 26 counties of the state, he may as well get off before he gets on the track.

The Illinois investigation has brought out the fact that senators got out the fact that senators got \$3,200 for their votes while representatives received \$1,900. According to these quotations a senator is worth \$1,300 more than a mere representative.

At last the N. C. & St. L. Railroad Co. is doing some work on their park in this city. The weeds have been cut and a force of men put to work grading and leveling up the grounds. This can be made the prettiest place in the town; it is to be regretted that this work was not done sooner.

If you have the itch, don't scratch, makes the skin bleed. Apply HALL'S SNOW LINIMENT. Rub it gently on the affected parts. It relieves itching instantly and a few applications removes the cause thus performing a permanent cure. Price 25c and \$1 per bottle. Sold by Hickman Drug Co.

Halley's comet is still disappearing at the rate of 1,665 miles a minute and will soon be out of sight for 75 years. Let the little children fix it in their minds so the few survivors will be prepared to tell about it when it comes back in 1985. The grown folks needn't bother about remembering the present visit. They will not be here.

Next to China, Hickman has some of the narrowest streets of any city in the world. They have been the result of unavoidable circumstances, but it doesn't follow that some citizens should have their fences almost in the middle of the street, or that others should usurp the whole thing for private use. The sooner these fences are ordered set back on the line the better. Our growth develops a necessity for all available street space.

Save 5%

on your Grocery Bill==

Our coupon system is being heartily endorsed by everyone. This is evident from the increase in our business. And why? Because it—

- SAVES YOU 5 PER CENT.
- YOU KEEP YOUR OWN ACCT.
- PAY ONLY FOR WHAT YOU GET.
- MAKES YOU MORE ECONOMIC.
- GIVES THE CASH CUSTOMER MORE FOR HIS MONEY.
- SAVES US A BOOKKEEPER'S SALARY.
- ENABLES US TO SELL FOR LESS MONEY.
- NO BAD ACCOUNTS TO BE CHARGED TO PAYING CUSTOMER.
- YOU KNOW WHAT YOUR GROCERY BILL IS EVERY DAY.
- WE CARRY THE BEST LINE OF GROCERIES AND FRESH MEATS IN HICKMAN.
- AND AGAIN—SAVES YOU 5 PER CENT.
- TRY IT ONE MONTH. . . .

Hickman Grocery Co.,

Children's Day exercises will be held at the First Methodist Church in this city on the first Sunday morning in June, at 11 o'clock. A very interesting special program has been prepared for this occasion and everybody is cordially invited to be present. Come out and encourage the children with your presence.



LET US SERVE you here, at the shop of distinctive dress. You will find the necessities for a week-end "loaf" or just a "take-it-easy" town ramble.

For the "Upper Set"—Flannel and fancy serge trousers, decidedly and deucedly different.

Hand-tailored and cut on custom lines. Waist-fitting, with graceful hip shapeliness and generous knee fullness.

Two-inch turn-ups, which lets your ankles enjoy the breezes.

\$1 to \$6

And all other summery things to wear.

Bradley & Parham

Heard On the Streets

Hig Shoot, June 13-14-15.

Houses and lots to sell—Kennedy. You can get REO at Helm & Ellison's.

A complete bathroom for \$6.50. L. A. Brock.

D. G. Hale was in Union City yesterday on business.

H. T. Hiale is finishing up a nice residence in East Hickman.

Hickman Furniture Co. headquarters for undertakers goods.

May wheat dropped to 98 1/2 cents in Chicago Saturday, a decline of 6 1/2 cents.

SHINGLES—Cypress shingles at \$1 per thousand at mill.—Vates & Kirk Shingle Co.

John Caldwell, wife and son, of Hickman county, spent last Thursday in Hickman.

That disc cultivator is dull isn't it? R. L. Gray can make it better than a new one.

The vulgar indecent practice of spitting on the sidewalks of Hickman should be prohibited.

Miss Cecil Barnes returned Thursday from a few days' visit with friends at Three States, Mo.

Miss Victoria Bondurant spent a few days last week with her sister, Mrs. Hardy Ligon, at Union City.

I have the grades and prices. Do not forget to have your grocer fill your orders with flour sold by Travis.

J. M. Kelle went to River, Tenn., Sunday, to accompany his wife home from that city where she has been visiting relatives.

On account of the U. S. Military Tournament at Nashville, June 19-26, the railroad fare for round trip from Hickman will be \$5.20.

Mrs. W. A. Naylor and daughter, Miss Mayme, left yesterday for Shannon, Miss., to visit friends. They will be gone about two weeks.

Children that are affected by worms are pale and sickly and liable to contract some fatal disease. WHITE'S CREAM VERMIFUGE expels worms promptly and puts the child on the road to health. Price 25c per bottle. Sold by Hickman Drug Co.

The Cumberland Presbyterian Assembly in session at Dickson, Tenn., raised about \$9,000 to continue the litigation between the Cumberland Presbyterian church and the Presbyterian church U. S. A.

Mrs. Sarah Tucker, age 74, died at her home at Dresden, Tenn., last Wednesday. Deceased was a sister of Wm. Stoker the well known carpenter of this city. Mr. Stoker arrived at her home three minutes after she died.

The Home Telephone Co. now has connection with Walnut Log, Tenn., and are giving first class service. This service has long been needed, and is a great convenience to bottom farmers and those who happen to be at the lake.

"Uncle" Joe Noonon, wife and little daughter left yesterday for Harvard to spend several days with relatives. From there they go to Denver, Colo., to visit Mr. Noonon's son. "Uncle" Joe was married last month and says this is their honeymoon.

Frank Von Barries, wife and baby, of Louisville, arrived here Thursday and will make Hickman their home. Mr. Von Barries, who has been in the Mengel Box Company's office at the former city, will have charge of the office work of the factory here.

A well known West Hickman citizen informs us that there is a continual breach of peace in that section of the city on Saturday nights and Sunday on account of drunkenness. If our officers find a few of these bullies in police court the thing will subside in a few weeks.

Contracts will be let this month for work on the roads in the various parts of the county. The magistrates and Judge Naylor have "got their heads" on having better roads in this county and every citizen interested in the development of the county will be right with them in this move. Money can't be spent for a better purpose. If you want to bid on this work, see notice elsewhere in this paper.

Good News

"I write to tell you the good news that Cardui has helped me so much and I think it is just worth its weight in gold," writes Mrs. Maryan Marshall, of Woodstock, Ga. "I do hope and trust that ladies who are suffering as I did, will take Cardui, for it has been a God's blessing to me, and will certainly help every lady who is suffering."

Take CARDUI

The Woman's Tonic

No matter if you suffer from headache, backache, pains in arms, shoulders and legs, dragging-down feelings, etc., or if you feel tired, weary, worn-out and generally miserable—Cardui will help you. It has helped thousands of other weak, sick ladies and if you will only give it a trial, you will be thankful ever after.

Don't throw that cast glow point away—take it to Clay & Caldwell and have it ground.

O. T. Salmon left Monday for O'Brien's Landing to look after the timber interests of the Menzel Box Co.

J. H. Parks, wife and two daughters, Misses Nell and Blanche, of Union City, are new citizens of this city. They will reside at the O. Hertweh place.

We are Agents for the

OLDEST

Insurance Companies

in Hickman

They are companies that have been here longer than any other. Is your property insured? It is too late when the alarm sounds to think of a policy.

Do it NOW

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LEAVE

LAUNDRY

—AT—

Bradley & Parham's

Basket leaves every Tuesday afternoon

Best Work Lowest Prices

Power Over Illness

Don't criticize your doctor because medicine prescribed by him fails to have the desired effect. The prescription may have been good, but the ingredients dispensed poor. Give the doctor a fair show by taking his prescriptions to a druggist who makes a point of dispensing only pure drugs of right potency—drugs that have the power to overcome illness.

Tested drugs only are used here, and skilled pharmacists do the compounding. You should have the best procurable when combating sickness.

Cowgill's Drug Store (Incorporated)

Rough Roads

are easy to travel when your feet are encased in a pair of our Packard Shoes.

They look right and feel right because they are made right.

Ask us for reasons why you should wear them.

Bradley & Parham

NEW ROAD OVERSEERS.

At the last term of court the following road overseers for Fulton county were appointed.

Arch McMurtry, 2nd sec. Shuck road.
Joe Atteberry, 1st sec. Stoneow and Mayfield road.

Thaddeus Veikline, 1st sec. Cayce and Alexander road.

Milton Jones, Hanesell road.

Dock Jones, 9th sec. State road.

J. T. Brady, 9th sec. State Line and Brandon road.

J. E. Shelby, 1st sec. Dyersburg road.

DORENA NOTES.

J. D. McFarland, of James Bayou, was here Sunday.

Mrs. Mattie Cobb, of Humwood Valley, visited Mrs. Lida McKett recently.

Joseph Sargent and family, of Annapolis, Mo., are visiting his father.

There has been nice weather and the farmers are all at work again this week.

Master Roy Betterworth, of Hickman, was here one day last week, enroute to Medley.

Quite a number of people from near Wolf Island and Columbus were in this vicinity Sunday.

There will be prayer meeting at Locust Grove Church every Sunday at 8:30 o'clock.

N. S. Thompson, the Deputy Head Counsel of the M. W. A., of West Plains, Mo., was here last week.

Cards are out announcing the approaching marriage of A. W. McNeill, of Huntington, Tenn., and Miss Vida Thomas, of Ft. Worth, Texas, which will occur Thursday, June 9th, at Polytechnic Chapel at Ft. Worth. Mr. McNeill is a well known postal clerk running into this city and one of the most clever fellows of our acquaintance.

Courier Want Column

RATES—One Cent per Word per Week Cash in Advance.

DRESSMAKING: Mrs. Eula Sadman, next to LaCade Hotel.

FOR SALE: Sweet Potato Bolls—all kinds. H. L. Curdin, Woodland Mills, Tenn.

FOR RENT: Two new 3-room residences in Bond Addition. Apply to O. T. Salmon.

FOR SALE: White Plymouth Rock eggs for setting.—Mrs. A. K. McCounell, Hickman, Route 3.

FOR SALE: House and lot in West Hickman, good location, lot is 66x190 6 in. Cheap for cash. House has six rooms in good repair, practically new. \$1000 buys this place if you talk quick. See O. H. Mooney.

HAVE YOU TRIED



5c—all Fountains

"Fire"—Kennedy.

Chester Haines is at Three States.

Dug Ringo, of Medley, Mo., was here Saturday.

Miss Estelle Reneau returned Monday from a week's visit with friends at Three States.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Perry and son, Clyde, spent Sunday and Monday with friends at Crutchfield.



REC at Helm & Ellison's.

Farmers are cutting wheat.

Decoration Day—June 3.

Do not be misled; remember the tailor—Schmidt.

Case & Son make prompt deliveries.—Phone 183.

Sheriff Johnson was in Fulton on business Monday.

Everybody invited to attend the decoration June 3.

Telephone 183 for your wants in the grocery line.—Case & Son.

Capt. Lee Campbell spent Sunday at his home in Mound City, Ills.

If you want to buy a farm or town property, call at the Courier office.

John Cotton is hobbling around on crutches, the result of a sprained ankle.

E. L. King and wife, of Clayton, spent Sunday with S. M. Naifeh and wife.

The best flour in Hickman—Bulte's Excellence—at Betterworth & Prather's.

Did you know we could make that old suit look like new.—Schmidt the Tailor.

This is the time of year when the colleges are turning out a lot of book agents.

Don't be bothered with a misfit when you can get a fit.—Schmidt, the Tailor.

Boyd Ross returned Sunday from Missouri, where he has been for the past year.

If your groceries have not proven entirely satisfactory try trading with C. H. Moore.

The local option fight a Fulton is warning up, and the fur will fly before it is over.

Let me sharpen that disc cultivator, I can do it cheaper than anybody.—R. L. Gray.

R. L. Bradley went to Ashport on the Str. Mengel Box Co., this week with Capt. F. M. Ryan.

Ross Cheshire, of Nashville, was here a few days this week the guest of Miss Mabel Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Honeycut, of Woodland Mills, were the guests of their son, Harry Threlkeld, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Tisdale, of Union City, were here Sunday the guests of Miss Mollie Bourne.

Capt. Hollis Kirk and wife returned Saturday night from a visit to relatives in Dyersburg and Cairo.

Keep your eye on the real estate bargains in this paper. It may contain just what you are looking for.

The new steel bridge to be built at Metropolis by the Burlington, will be a mile long and cost \$4,000,000.

The Hickman Furniture Co. handles the best line of Furniture in West Kentucky. Let us show you.

The best flour ever brought to Hickman—Bulte's Excellence and Autumn Leaf—each sack guaranteed—Travis.

Miss Nell Peavler and Miss Estelle Reneau came up Saturday morning from Three States, returning that afternoon.

If we don't sell your real estate, it doesn't cost you a cent. If we do, it only costs you, 2 per cent.—The Courier Realty Co.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Walker, Miss Grace Reeves, of Chaffee, Mo., and Miss Frankie Held spent Monday and Tuesday at Reelfoot Lake.

It must have been a very interesting base ball game played Saturday between Cayce and Clinton. The score was 24 to 10 in favor of Cayce.

Fresh groceries and vegetables of all kinds at the Hickman Grocery Co. You save 5 per cent by trading with them.

You can't shoot through some steak sold in Hickman, but that is not the kind sold by the Hickman Grocery Co. If you want better meat, give them a trial; it costs 5 per cent less.

Elbert Johnson was arrested Saturday by the Sheriff charged with bootlegging down about the Mengel factory. He was taken before Judge Naylor the same day and tried. The Judge fined him \$60 and costs, which he paid.

Naifeh Bros. D. G. Co.

Now is the time for that Summer suit—

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styles and patterns will exactly please you. You will have to see them to appreciate the difference in the clothes building. Prices

\$16.50 to \$25



We Have Removed

our immense stock of goods, formerly of Fulton, Ky., to our store here, and in order to make room we will have to unload as much of it as possible at

Unheard of Bargains

Naifeh Bros. D. G. Co.

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REFRIGERATORS



If you need a refrigerator that surpasses anything on the market in construction, interior and exterior finish and the only refrigerator that is absolutely sanitary from every point of view; you need a

White Frost

This refrigerator is constructed of heavy galvanized sheets. The interior finish is of white enamel. The exterior finish is either white or golden oak enamel. Locks, handles, hinges and trimmings are of heavy polished brass. Mounted on heavy roller bearing castors. Insulated with aerofelt and malkha, which keeps the temperature in the provision chamber from four to six degrees colder than any other insulation. Drain pipe is composed of seamless brass tube. And not a piece of wood about the refrigerator as big a tooth-pick.

We say, if you need a refrigerator at \$20.00
Or a larger size at 25.00
Or the largest size at 30.00

then call on us and we will take pleasure in furnishing just the refrigerator that you have been looking for.

The above prices do not include water coolers.

Hickman Ice & Coal Co.

INCORPORATED



JUDGE WISE.
Business Philosopher.

"When a man is in hard luck, he needs only to remember that rough seas make good sailors," says the Judge, "but he will anchor at a safe harbor if he buys his drugs from the Hickman Drug Co. Drug service at this store is unexcelled; they handle only the purest and best to be had and dispense it with the greatest care. Prices are reasonable, service prompt, and at all times courteous treatment. Just to satisfy yourself as to their claims, give them a share of your drug business."

Cleaning and Pressing—Schmidt.

A. E. Owen was in Union City one day last week.

Mrs. F. M. Ryan returned Sunday from an extended visit to relatives in Louisville and Cloverport, Ky.

Members of the Christian Women's Board of Missions, will meet next Tuesday, June 7, 3 p. m., at the Christian Church.

At a height of 23,000 feet, according to the weather bureau, the temperature is 29 degrees. The man who buys potatoes and meat on the Hickman market should experience a delightfully cool sensation when he reaches the price.

J. A. Oliver, of Cairo, and daughter, Mrs. Jas. Maynard, of Hlytheville, Ark., came down from Cairo, Ills., the latter part of the week to visit his father, A. F. Oliver. J. A. has a responsible position with the Singer Mfg. Co., and has been with them for twenty years.

BROWNSVILLE.

Rev. Baty and Rev. Bowles, of Martin, were here Sunday.

Mrs. Allie Hawkins, of Dawson Springs, was here Sunday.

Ren Stewart, of Paducah, was the guest of Scott Mosier last week.

Dr. J. N. Penick, of Martin, preached at Brownsville, Sunday morning.

Our pastor, Eld. W. L. King, will move to Hickman, about the 15th of June.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. King and Miss Pearl Clear, of Clayton, were in this city last Sunday.

W. T. Shanklin and wife and several others of Sassafras Ridge attended services here Sunday.

Children's Day exercises will be held at Brownsville Sunday, June 12, beginning at 6:30 p. m.

Elsie Gildewell, son of Jesse Gildewell, fell from a tree Sunday afternoon and was seriously injured.

A large number of Hickmanites attended the dedication exercises at Brownsville church last Sunday.

Mott's Nervine Pills

The great nerve and brain treatment for men and women, produces strength and vitality, builds up the system and renews the normal vigor. For sale by druggists or by mail, \$1 per box, 6 boxes for \$5.—Hickman Drug Co., Incorporated.

It might be of interest to our readers to know that failure to give the assessor the correct number of dogs you possess is liable to cost you a fine of \$25. Auditor James has notified Sheriff Johnson to see that every dog in the county is assessed. Failure to give them in will be taken up by state authorities. The state also says that the sheriff need not hunt up the man who owes dog tax, but that said man must come and pay the officer. Another fine is prescribed if you fail to do this. As a whole, it looks like dogs are getting to be a poor investment.

If it wasn't for the stock law, a cow could be kept in Hickman at a profit of \$2.47 a year. While the profit is not large, the pleasant associations ought to be great.



Palmolive

The perfect toilet soap—made from Palm and Olive oils.

For delicate, beautiful complexions.

For every member of the family; and

For every toilet use.

Palmolive
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Helm & Ellison

WHY NOT TRY?

Popham's

—ASTHMA REMEDY—

Gives prompt and positive relief in every case. Sold by The Hickman Drug Co., price \$1. Trial package by mail, 10c. Williams Mfg. Co., Props., Cleveland.

Of course prices for plumbing and tinning will come down now, but you will have to get my prices to see just how low they go.—John Cotton.

S. L. Dodds, Clarence Reed, Sheriff Johnson, Ed Prather, L. A. Stone, Dr. J. M. Hubbard, Dr. C. M. Blackford, Mrs. S. M. Hubbard and Oco Harris drove over to Clinton, in autos, Sunday afternoon to attend the funeral of Chas. A. Kennedy, father of A. E. Kennedy, of this city. Mr. Dodds' party returned via Union City.

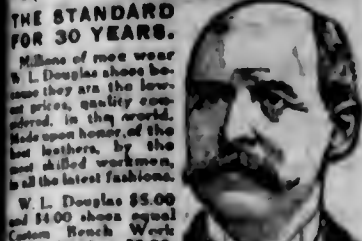
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FAMOUS DOCTOR'S PRESCRIPTION.



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CATARRH OF STOMACH

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\$5, \$4, \$3.50, \$3, \$2.50 & \$2



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Millions of men wear Douglas shoes because they are the lowest priced, quality shoes in the world. Made upon the basis of the best leather, by the best shoemakers, in the best factories.

W. L. Douglas \$5.00 and \$4.00 shoes equal Custom Made Work costing \$6.00 to \$8.00.

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W. L. Douglas guarantees that when you stamp the name and price on the bottom, look for it. Foot Color Register. Take No Substitutes. Ask your dealer for W. L. Douglas shoes. If not found, write to W. L. Douglas, 289 Broadway, New York, N. Y. or to W. L. Douglas, 289 Broadway, New York, N. Y. or to W. L. Douglas, 289 Broadway, New York, N. Y.

FOR OLD AND YOUNG

Tuff's Liver Pills act on the liver, regulate the bowels, and infuse old age, as upon the vigorous man.

Tuff's Pills

Give tone and strength to the weak stomach, bowels, kidney and bladder.

BACK TO THE WORLD.



Editor—We've lost another poet.
Assistant—What was the trouble, head?
Editor—No; he got back his old job in the department store.

The Valuable Match.

There was a loud splash, and a moment later a dripping head appeared above the waves. On the end of the dock was a stevedore nonchalantly lighting his pipe.

"Help, man!" cried the chap in the water. "Can't you see I am overboard? I can't swim."

"How often have you been down?" asked the stevedore, shielding the flickering match from the wind.

"Once, I believe, but hurry up, man! Give me a hand!"

"You wait! You have two more times yet to go down, and I have only one match. I'll catch you on the last trip."—Exchange.

What He Knew.

"You can tell me the names of the twelve apostles, Sam?" said the pretty Sunday school teacher one morning. Sam's face fell, and he shifted his weight from one foot to the other.

"Can't do it, ma'am," he said, sorrowfully; and then his eyes brightened; "but I can call off all of the pitchers in the league teams," he volunteered.—Harper's Magazine.

Too Much of a Target.

Brown—How did you feel, Jones, when the burglar who you covered with the revolver—pretty small, eh?

Jones—Small! Great Scott, no! I felt as big as the side of a house.

There's no reason why a woman shouldn't take boarders if she wants to, but she shouldn't try to board a moving train.

There is a reason
Why Grape-Nuts does correct
A weak, physical, or a
Sluggish mental condition.
The food is highly nutritious
And is partially pre-digested,
So that it helps the organs of
the stomach
To digest other food.
It is also rich in the
Vital phosphates that go
Directly to make up
The delicate gray matter
of brain and nerve centres.
Read "The Road to Wellville."
In pkgs. "There's a Reason."
POSTUM CEREAL COMPANY, Ltd.,
Battle Creek, Mich.

SOUTH'S POSSIBILITIES

CAN BE MADE GREATEST CORN PRODUCING SECTION.

Presence of the Boll Weevil is Driving Southern Cotton Planters to Diversification.

Washington.—That the South can be made the greatest corn producing section of the United States and that the presence of the boll weevil in certain cotton growing sections is driving the farmers to intensive and diversified farming, which, with crop reform methods, will result in a new and better era for the agricultural South, were the significant statements made by Dr. Beaman A. Knapp, chief of the division of farmers' cooperative demonstration work, department of agriculture.

The fact that a boy in South Carolina produced 152½ bushels of corn to the acre, when the average yield throughout the state was only sixteen bushels to the acre, was cited by Dr. Knapp as physical proof of the possibilities of corn production in the Southern states by the improved methods of cultivation by the department of agriculture in Virginia. He said 200 acres under the improved demonstration methods had yielded an average of forty-one bushels of corn to the acre. In Alabama, Mississippi, Tennessee, Texas, Louisiana and Arkansas, he said, results similarly significant had been achieved, and it is the opinion of Dr. Knapp that the Southern states can be made to yield an average of forty-five bushels of corn to the acre. This increased production depends upon the application of improved methods of soil cultivation and attention.

Dr. Knapp said the special work to be conducted by his bureau in the states of Mississippi, Louisiana, Texas, Arkansas, Alabama and Tennessee related to the extermination of the cotton boll weevil, which he seriously regards as having been instrumental in bringing about reforms in farming that will greatly increase the revenue to be derived from the Southern farms. The invasion by the boll weevil and the apparent lateness of the little pest to make his stay indefinite, has caused planters to diversify their crops and to farm generally along intensive lines.

SPITZER SAYS HE'S A FOOL

Hesitated to Give Evidence "Leading to Cemetery."

New York.—Oliver Spitzer, former superintendent of the docks of the American Sugar Refining Company in Williamsburg, Brooklyn, who recently was pardoned from the penitentiary by President Taft, explained Wednesday why he did not confess during the trial, which ended last February with his being sentenced to two years at Atlanta.

Such a confession, he declared on the stand, would have carried him to a cemetery. In other words, he would have implicated a dead man—Henry O. Havemeyer, head of the sugar trust. "Why did you not tell the truth in the first place?" he was asked.

"Every time I look in a mirror, I see a d-d fool," was the answer. "I was a fool not to do it, but was ashamed to let any one know that I did these things. My credit was good. I could get anything and I did not want people to know that I was fool enough to do these things for nothing. I got nothing out of it."

"Another reason why I committed TWO P. COL.—Thursday... it... perjury was because I thought nothing could happen to the sugar trust. We all thought the trust was so strong that the government could do nothing with it."

NICARAGUA DEFIES UNCLE SAM

Force From Gunboat Venus Search an American Vessel.

Bluefields.—A Nicaraguan government force from the gunboat Venus boarded and searched the American schooner Estuero, flying the Stars and Stripes. The action was in defiance of a ruling from Washington that the Venus had forfeited her right of search.

Following the search the Venus and the other Nicaraguan gunboat, San Jacinto, were seen approaching the Bluefields bluff. The American gunboat Paluch and Dubuque were lying off Bluefields and it was expected that their commanders would take prompt action.

G. A. R. FAVORS R. E. LEE

Resolution for Taft to Oppose Statue Declared Ill-Advised.

Freeport, Ill.—At an executive session of the Department of Illinois, G. A. R., here, a resolution of Col. Jasper T. Harlink, calling upon President Taft to take such steps as he may deem best to remove the statue of Gen. Robert E. Lee from the nation's Hall of Fame, and return it to the state of Virginia, was laid on the table as ill-advised.

DEWEY SUNK CARELESSLY

Rumors of Japanese Plot Discredited by Officials.

Manila.—It is the general opinion that the sinking of the dry dock Dewey was due to carelessness rather than to a deliberate purpose on the part of the station employees, who are Japanese, to cause damage. The experts declare that the great floating dock which was towed here from the United States at much expense will be saved, despite the likelihood that it will be submerged.

A MINISTER'S CONSTIPATION

Rev. Kemp Talla of His Digestive Troubles and How He Overcame Them—You Can Do So Free.

The lack of exercise in a minister's life makes him very prone to constipation—but for that matter, most everybody is constipated now and then. It is the national disorder. Many already know that a sure way to cure constipation and other stomach, liver and bowel troubles is with Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, which church people have been buying for twenty years. Rev. H. A. Kemp of Hiding Run, Ind., Secretary of the Indiana Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, says in part:

"For years I have been a victim of constipation but I have never found anything to equal Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. I also had indigestion and heart trouble. I can certainly recommend it."

It can be bought of any druggist at 50 cents or \$1 a bottle. If there is anything about your case that you don't understand, write to the doctor. If you have never used this remedy and would like to try it, send your address and a free sample bottle will be forwarded to your home. Address Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 201 Caldwell Bldg., Monticello, Ill.

COULDN'T TALK THE LANGUAGE.



First Caddie—Do you think he'll ever be able to play de game?
Second Caddie—Naw, he stutters.

UNSIGHTLY COMPLEXIONS

The constant use of Cuticura Soap, assisted by Cuticura Ointment, for toilet, bath and nursery purposes not only preserves, purifies, and beautifies the skin, scalp, hair and hands, but prevents inflammation, irritation and clogging of the pores, the common cause of pimples, blackheads, redness and roughness, yellow, oily, mothy and other unwholesome conditions of the complexion and skin. All who delight in a clear skin, soft, white hands, a clean, wholesome scalp and live, glossy hair, will find Cuticura Soap most successful in realizing every expectation.

Cuticura Soap and Ointment are admirably adapted to preserve the health of the skin and scalp of infants and children, and to prevent minor blemishes or inherited skin humors becoming chronic, and may be used from the hour of birth. Cuticura Remedies are sold throughout the civilized world. Send to Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., sole proprietors, Boston, for their free Cuticura book, 32 pages of invaluable advice on care and treatment of the skin, scalp and hair.

For the Critics.

Creston Clark, whose untimely death at Asheville robbed America of a serious and capable actor, was somewhat impatient of criticism. To a Philadelphia critic he once said:

"You chaps are unwilling to accept a man for what he is. You want to change him to your own taste. But each of you has a different taste. To whose inclination, then, is he to bend?"

"No, no. Take the artist for what he is. That is the right critical attitude. Don't be like the farm urchin I once saw—an urchin who, as he stoned a frog to death, repeated severely:

"I'll larn ye to be a toad."

CUT THIS OUT

And mail to the A. H. Lewis Medicine Co., St. Louis, Mo., and they will send you free a 10 day treatment of NATURE'S REMEDY (N.R. tablets) Guaranteed for Rheumatism, Constipation, Sick Headache, Liver, Kidney and Blood Diseases. Sold by all Druggists. Better than Pills for Liver Ills. It's free to you. Write today.

An Instance.

"The rubber industry ought to be able to solve one financial problem."

"What problem?"

"That of elastic currency."

A Grievance.

Hewitt—It is no longer fashionable for a woman to have a small waist.

Jewett—I know it; you long-armed fellows have a clutch.

PERRY DAVIN PAINKILLER

For aches and pains (indigestion of a kidney) and Painkiller, Pore-cleanser and summer complaint this medicine never fails. See the label and bottles.

Put up with sarcasm—don't practice it.

NOT INTERESTED IN TOADS.

But Exasperated Suburbanite Was Forced to Listen to Statistics Until Patience Gave Way.

"Toads—" began the man who is always looking up queer statistics. "Blasphemy!" snapped the suburbanite with the ham, the bag of flour and the lawn mower. "I am not interested in toads."

"But you should be, sir. The toad lays 81,000 eggs annually."

"Very extraordinary, but—"

"The female toad also lives to be a thousand years old. Now, if a hen could live to be a thousand years old and lay 81,000 eggs annually it would take a cold-storage warehouse as big as Maine, California and Texas, to hold them."

"Wonderful, but my train—"

"Stood on end the eggs would reach from here to the moon and back and leave enough to fill the Pacific ocean."

"Let go of my buttonhole, sir. I want to make that train—"

"Useless job. The train is already made. Listen to sense. After those eggs filled the Pacific ocean it would cause a tidal wave that would sweep—"

But just then the exasperated suburbanite brought his bag of flour down on the garrulous stranger. Then he escaped to his train.

A SOLDIER'S EXPERIENCE.

Hardships of Army Life Brought On a Severe Case of Kidney Trouble.

H. N. Camp, 1356 Delaware St., Denver, Colo., says: "During the Spanish-American war, I contracted a severe kidney trouble. After returning home, I was under a physician's care for months, but grew gradually worse. Finally I got so bad I could not hold the urine at all. I also had intense suffering from back pains. Doan's Kidney Pills made improvement from the first, and soon I was well and strong."

Remember the name—Doan's.
For sale by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Willful to Pay for Rammer.

When the British square at the battle of Abu Kien, in the Nubian desert, was penetrated by the dervishes, one of them attempted to spear a gunner who was in the act of ramming home a charge. The Briton brained the Sudanese, but the rammer head split on the man's hard skull. Next day the gunner was sent for. Mistaking the reason, and knowing from experience that soldiers are charged for government property which they break, he led off with: "Please, sir, I'm very sorry I broke the rammer, but I never thought the fellow's head could be so hard. I'll pay for the rammer so as to hear no more of the case."

The Man Invasion.

The witch out for a moonlight jaunt on her favorite broomstick, had just escaped being run down by an aeroplane manned by a joy-rider.

"Oh, this is simply maddening!" she cried, hysterically; "to think of man invading the one field of which we women have had a monopoly for centuries! And I believe I heard the brute say, as he passed: 'Oh, you kid witch!'"

The Quoter.

"You never quote poetry in your speeches?"

"No," replied Senator Sorghum; "quoting poetry is too often like sending an anonymous letter. A man resorts to it when he wants to say something and shift the responsibility of authorship."

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The American business system, which gives mere boys responsible positions before they have acquired practical experience, is to an Englishman quite unaccountable. He wonders whether it does not cause reckless trading and wild speculation. In other countries they prefer to keep elderly men in responsible positions because they can be depended upon. Messrs. Dyke & Soas, Somerset, England, employ 66 men. More than half have completed 30 years' service, 20 have been there 40 years, nine over 50 years and one 70 years.

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God Knows.

There are graves in southern valleys where the sweet magnolia blooms,

Where the birds sing in the morning o'er the soldier's lonely tomb; There are graves on northern hill-sides lapped in the winter's snow, Who are the lonely sleepers, but God alone may know

It may be your blue-eyed darling, oh, mother with snowy hair, Who marched at his country's calling, so young, so brave, so fair, In the flush of his glad young manhood, he left you long ago, If he be the lonely sleeper, there is none but God may know.

Oh wife that mourned the lost one through all those lonely years, Whose heart is weary waiting, whose eyes are dimmed with tears, It may be the one that left you to bravely meet the foe In the valley or on the hillside there is none but God may know

We only know that they are sleeping, our brave and gallant dead; Unnamed their places of slumber, no stone at foot or head

To tell the weary watcher whether this be friend or foe, Who sleeps the sleep that knows no waking, but God alone may know

Then bring the fresh, sweet blossoms oh mothers with hearts still sore O'er the loss of the blue-eyed darling whose footfall is heard no more; Though thy hands may scatter the blossoms upon a stranger's breast Some hand and some heart as tender may deck thy darling's place of rest.

Yes, scatter the fresh spring flowers alike o'er each lowly head; Little, indeed, to us it recketh, who are the silent dead.

Asleep 'neath Magnolia blossoms or lapped 'neath northern snows, Let our hearts breathe the glad thanksgiving, thank God, our Father knows.

A Southern Woman's Tribute to Heroes Both Blue and Gray.

It was just a bunch of white roses, but the ribbons that tied it together told its history—one was blue and the other was gray. It was to be placed on the grave of a boy who had fought for what he believed was right and the gentlewoman who was to put it there believed that all animosity had passed by, and the blue and the gray might be firm friends. So the bunch she carried for her own boy's grave was tied up in this way and in her hand was another one tied the same; it was to be laid upon the grave of a stranger. That stranger whose name was even unknown to her, had died fighting like a brave man, and therefore deserved to be remembered and to have tribute shown to his courage. We think it a beautiful idea—this one of decorating the graves of all the soldiers, but we like it better when the custom is carried even further, and when not a grave in the cemetery is overlooked.

It seems to us a goodly and proper thing for the living to remember the dead, at least once a year, and it seems a kind and loving thing to mark this remembrance with sweet flowers. As a people, we are not very emotional, and if there is any way in which we can bring our kind-

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No peace for the kidney sufferer—Pain and distress from morn to night.

Get up with a lame back. Twinges of backache bother you all day.

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ness to the surface, it should be

done, and so the encouragement of

the day sacred to the memory of

those who have gone before is worth

of much consideration. Decoration

Day must essentially be one entirely

free from any feeling but that of gen-

erously and loving kindness. It does

not make any difference which side

a man fought on—he died for what

he believed was right, and for that

reason he deserves to be remembered

by those who are living. Decoration

Day ought to mean the union of the

gray and the blue; there ought to

be a flag for that purpose for the

colors blend so beautifully that the

result is exactly the tint of heaven

itself. We wonder if you despise all

the funeral trappings—if you wish

more respect shown to yourself dead

than you might possibly demand alive

—and when the long years have gone

by, you would not like somebody one

year to place a flower on your

grave, to show that you were still in

touch with humanity. No matter who

it is; if it is the woman whose life

was sold, if it is the man whose

death was shameful, or if it was the

soldier who was fighting for his coun-

try, just remember that not one of

them can defend themselves now,

and that neither of us can judge

them.

Start out to make God's acre beau-

tiful; take the crimson roses of love,

the white ones of innocence, the la-

verend bell-trope of devotion the blue

forget-me-nots of never dying memory

the lilies of purity, and strewn

them all about here, there and every-

where, make the day one of absolute

union—union of hearts, union of

feeling and union of remembrance. That is what Decoration Day should be.

And all those soldiers who lie

sleeping, those who fought not only

on the battle ground of dispute, but

in the greater one of life, will, when

the trumpet call rings out its summons

on the great Judgment day, each

stand before the Great Commander,

ready to answer the questions put

to him. And be sure he will not ask

his neighbor, "Did you wear the blue or the gray?" But, instead, he will say: "Brother, we have fought the good fight and my God, in His infinite mercy, Judge us."—B. A. H.

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son, now in jail at Charleston, and

was to have been executed Friday,

was given a two weeks' respite. The

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A dainty dessert just after a quar-

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When shown positive and reliable proof that a certain remedy had cured numerous cases of female ills, wouldn't any sensible woman conclude that the same remedy would also benefit her if suffering with the same trouble?

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COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

Fulton Circuit Court, Kentucky.

Minnie Searce et al, plaintiff, against Myra Searce et al, defendant.

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of Fulton Circuit Court, rendered at the January term, thereof, 1910, in the above cause, for the sum of ————Dollars with interest at the rate of — per cent per annum from the — day of —, until paid, and costs herein, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court House door in Hickman, Kentucky to the highest bidder, at PUBLIC AUCTION, on the 13th day of June, 1910, at 10 o'clock, a. m., or thereabout (being County Court day), upon a credit of six months the following described property, to-wit:

94 acres lying east of and adjoining lot No. 5 in the division of the lands in the action in the Fulton County Court of Robt. L. Searce et al vs. A. K. Searce et al, and being parts of the NW and NE Quarters of Sec. 34, T. 2, R. 4 west, same being deed to Albert S. Searce by A. C. Holmes, Special Commissioner in said case.

Also a one-half undivided interest in 55 acres in the N. W. Qr. of Sec. 34, T. 2, R. 4 west, and being same land owned by W. C. Searce at the time of his death, and said Albert S. Searce owned a one-sixth interest therein, and Emma Heckham and Sam Heckham, her husband, and E. L. Searce conveyed their one-sixth interest to said Albert S. Searce, making him the owner of a half interest.

Or sufficient thereof to produce the sum of money so ordered to be made. For the purchase price, the purchaser, with approved security or securities, must execute bond, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid, and having the force and effect of a Judgment. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

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Have you neglected your kidneys? Have you overworked your nervous system and caused trouble with your kidneys and bladder? Have you pain in loins, side, back, groin and bladder? Have you a flabby appearance of the face, especially under the eyes? Too frequent a desire to pass urine? If so, Williams' Kidney Pills will cure you.—at Druggist, Price 50c.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

Fulton Circuit Court, Kentucky.

G. B. Miles, Plaintiff, against Mauda Porter and Others, Defendants.

By virtue of a Judgment and order of sale of Fulton Circuit Court, rendered at the May term thereof, 1910, in the above cause, for the sum of ————Dollars with interest at the rate of — per cent per annum from the — day of —, until paid, and costs herein, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court House door in Hickman, Ky., to the highest bidder, at PUBLIC AUCTION, on the 13th day of June, 1910, at 10 o'clock, a. m., or thereabout (being County Court day), upon a credit of six months the following described property, to-wit:

159 acres off the NE Qr. of Sec. 35, T. 1, R. 4 west, bounded as follows: Being Lot No. 3, the whole the NE Qr. of Sec. 35, T. 1, R. 4 west, less one acre in the Northern corner of said Quarter belonging to Rural Academy, being 159 acres as is recorded in processions and commissioners Book No. 1, page 339, together with a plat thereof in the office of the Clerk of the Fulton County Court recorded at the January term 1893 of the Fulton County Court.

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